

Claims:

1. A boom for a loader, comprising: a carrier arrangement having one end adapted for being fastened to a frame of the loader for pivoting vertically about a horizontal axis, and having a second end defined by an attaching flange; and a front piece adapted for being fastened to a tool and including a mating flange abutting and being releasably secured to said attaching flange.

2. The boom, as defined in claim 1, wherein said carrier arrangement includes a first carrier whose one end is said first end and whose second end is defined by said attaching flange.

3. The boom, as defined by claim 1, wherein said carrier arrangement includes a first carrier and at least a second carrier; said first carrier defining a receptacle receiving said second carrier in a guided, telescoping manner; and said second carrier having said second end defined by said attaching flange.

4. The boom, as defined by claim 1, wherein said carrier arrangement includes at least one extension carrier which includes a second mating flange at one end releasably secured to said attaching flange, and a second attaching flange at a second end releasably secured to said mating flange of said front piece.

5. The boom, as defined by claim 1, wherein said front piece includes at least one cast component.

6. The boom, as defined in claim 5, wherein said front piece is generally configured as a cast component.

7. The boom, as defined in claim 2, wherein said first and at least second carriers are each configured as one of round, box or multi-edge profiles.

8. The boom, as defined in claim 4, wherein said carrier arrangement includes a central, longitudinal axis; and each attaching and each mating flange of said carrier arrangement extends one of toward said longitudinal axis, or away from said longitudinal axis from respective outer surface regions of said carrier arrangement.

9. The boom, as defined in claim 8, wherein each of said attaching and mating flanges are arranged one of perpendicular or inclined to said longitudinal axis.

10. The boom, as defined in claim 1, wherein one of said attaching and mating flanges is provided with a first set of threaded holes, and another of said attaching and mating flanges is provided with a second set of holes which are aligned with said first set of holes; and a set of screws releasably securing said mating and attaching flanges together.